

## Claims

What is claimed is:

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2 <sup>B</sup> 1. A method of recovery from failures within a shared  
3 nothing distributed computing environment, said method  
4 comprising:  
5 detecting a failure within said shared nothing  
6 distributed computing environment; and  
7 recovering from said failure, wherein one or more  
8 transactions affected by said failure are executed to  
9 completion without rolling back said one or more  
10 transactions and without requiring a reposting of said  
one or more transactions.

1           2.   A system of recovery from failures within a shared  
2   nothing distributed computing environment, said system  
3   comprising:

4               means for detecting a failure within said shared  
5   nothing distributed computing environment; and

6               means for recovering from said failure, wherein  
7   one or more transactions affected by said failure are  
8   executed to completion without rolling back said one or  
9   more transactions and without requiring a reposting of  
10   said one or more transactions.

1           3.   At least one program storage device readable by a  
2 machine, tangibly embodying at least one program of  
3 instructions executable by the machine to perform a method  
4 of recovery from failures within a shared nothing  
5 distributed computing environment, said method comprising:

6                 detecting a failure within said shared nothing  
7                 distributed computing environment; and

8                 recovering from said failure, wherein one or more  
9                 transactions affected by said failure are executed to  
10                completion without rolling back said one or more  
11                transactions and without requiring a reposting of said  
12                one or more transactions.

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